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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY: WANG LI-PEH

1. THE DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED AN INQUIRY FROM SENATOR HATFIELD REGARDING WANG LI-PEH. ACCORDING TO ONE OF THE SENATOR'S CONSTITUENTS, MR. WANG HAS BEEN HELD IN MANDALAY JAIL FOR 14 YEARS BECAUSE HE IS AN ILLEGAL IMMIGRANT WHO REFUSES REPATRIATION TO THE PRC. THE INQUIRY INDICATES THAT MR. WANG PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN OBTAINING THE RELEASE OF THE MORSE FAMILY SOME YEARS AGO WHEN THEY WERE BEING HELD IN MANDALAY. THE CONSTITUENT AND THE MORSE FAMILY WOULD LIKE TO DO WHATEVER POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN MR. WANG'S RELEASE AND ENTRY INTO THE U.S. THE MORSE FAMILY HAS REQUESTED THAT THEIR ROLE IN THIS MATTER NOT BE REVEALED.

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2. PLEASE ASCERTAIN THE FACTS SURROUNDING WANG LI-PEH'S IMPRISONMENT, HIS ROLE IN CONNECTION WITH THE MORSE FAMILY'S RELEASE, AND ANY POSSIBILITIES THAT HE MIGHT QUALIFY FOR U.S. IMMIGRANT STATUS.

3. WE ARE SENDING AN INTERIM REPLY TO SENATOR HATFIELD PROMISING A DETAILED REPORT ON THIS MATTER. PLEASE REPLY

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